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Just Nine Days Until Coronation

"Miss Tower of 1947" Will
Receive Crown at Annual
Tower Dance.

Five Candidates Named

Each Ticket to Dance to Become
Ballot on Which Men Vote
Their Choice.

It is only nine days until "Miss Tower, 1947" will be crowned! The votes cast at the annual Tower dance, February 1, will determine which of the popular and attractive young ladies pictured on this page shall reign as queen.

The five candidates were presented to the student body during the half of the Springfield-Maryville basketball game last Friday, climaxing a ten-day period of secrecy. The five women are the ones who received the highest number of votes in the preliminary contest held Wednesday, January 8. More than forty received votes in the contest.

The night of the dance each man enrolled as a student in the College, using his ticket as a ballot, will vote for the lady who is his choice for Tower Queen.

Members of the Tower staff have been kept busy juggling writing assignments and special committee duties connected with the dance, but reports from the following committees as an event of major significance.

Members of Committees.
Publicity—John Hengeler, chairman, Zola Million, Virginia Ann George, Lois Gordon; invitations—Trene Proctor, chairman, Paul Gates, Marilyn Partridge; dance programs—Catherine Aldrich, chairman, Betty McCowen, Lydia (Continued on page 4)

Group From College Attend Press Meet

Northwest Missourian is
Member of Press
Association.

Members of the Northwest Missourian Press Association held their fifty-seventh annual convention at the Hotel Robidoux, St. Joseph, January 10 and 11. The Northwest Missourian is a member newspaper of the association.

Representing the Northwest Missourian staff at the two-day convention were Miss Violette Hunter, faculty editor, and Miss Mattie Dykes, faculty adviser.

Dr. J. W. Jones, president of the College; Dr. M. C. Cunningham, dean of the faculty; Mr. Harold Neece, business manager, and Mr. Everett Brown, director of the Division of Field Service, attended the sessions on Friday.

Mr. J. N. Saylor, chairman of the Mathematics Department, and Mrs. Saylor attended the press banquet in the Crystal Room, Friday evening.

Highlighting the Friday sessions was a talk on Soviet Russia by Mr. Robert W. Reed, news editor of the Kansas City Star. Discussing the tour of Russia and other European countries he made last spring with a press group under the auspices of the war department, Mr. Reed asserted that the iron curtain between Russia and the western democracies is in reality a mental curtain.

"The Russians we met were very congenial and personal relations with them were most agreeable, but we couldn't get them to talk to us about Russian policy. They were unwilling to meet us on a 'mind-to-mind' basis," said Mr. Reed.

Masters of the art of infiltration, the Russians have set up Communist parties in all European countries and their leaders are natives of the country in which the party is established, according to the newspaper editor. However, the money and the direction come from inside of Russia, he maintained.

"An understanding of foreign policy is one of the greatest needs of American citizens today," said Mr. Reed. "We should not turn our back on Europe."

The problem of penetrating the mental curtain which separates the peoples of Russia and those of the western countries should not be too difficult, believes Mr. Reed. The people of Russia and the people of America have similar traits and are not too far apart in their views of world affairs.

Under the direction of Mr. Merrill Chilcote, news editor of the St. Joseph News Press and president of the Northwest Missouri Press association, all sessions, including two luncheons, a tea, and a banquet, were well planned, and enjoyable. The sessions were concluded Saturday noon.



Mrs. Vera Partch, Former College Instructor, Dies

Word has been received in Maryville of the death of Mrs. Vera Howard Partch, wife of Clarence E. Partch, January 20, at her home in Stelton, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Partch were both members of the College faculty. Mrs. Partch taught at the Garrett school, a laboratory school connected with the College. Mr. Partch was head of the industrial arts department at the college and offered the first course in guidance that was ever given in a college in Missouri.

Dr. Sutton Will Be Maryville Speaker

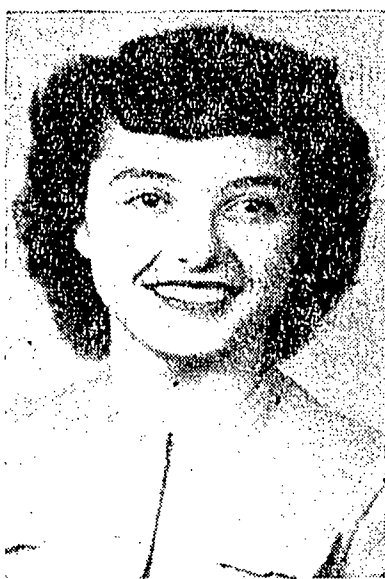
School Man Is Sent Out by
Reader's Digest on His
Lecture Tour.

Dr. Willis A. Sutton, superintendent emeritus of the Atlanta, Georgia, public schools and former president of the National Education Association, will come to Maryville, January 27, and will speak that night at the Methodist Church on "The Battle for America." A dinner meeting there will be sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce of Maryville. Three service clubs, Rotary, Kiwanis, and Lions are co-operating. After the dinner his address will be given in the main auditorium. Teachers of town and county and other citizens are invited to come to this meeting.

Tuesday night, January 28, he will address the Knights of the Hickory Stick in St. Joseph. Wednesday night he will speak at Shenandoah, Iowa, where arrangements are made through Superintendent L. A. Logan of the Shenandoah Schools. Thursday at noon he will address the Rotary Club in Kansas City, and Friday night he will address school men and school board members of Central Missouri at Warrensburg.

Dr. Sutton is sent here as a guest lecturer of the Reader's Digest. Dr. Uel W. Lamkin, president emeritus of the College, has made the necessary arrangements to bring this noted lecturer to this section of the country to benefit all who listen to his speech on "The Battle for America."

Dr. Sutton is sent by the Reader's Digest throughout the United States (Continued on Page 4)



Composer-Pianist Demonstrates Work

Henry Cowell Spends Two
Days on Campus With
Student Groups.

Spending two days on the campus, Mr. Henry Cowell delighted both faculty and students with his musical compositions.

Mr. Cowell presented a program of his own compositions and an interesting autobiography in assembly on January 9. Compositions played by Mr. Cowell were "Deep Tides," "List of the Reel," "Aeolian Harp," and "Advertisement." He lectured to the humanities and music classes on January 9 and 10.

Unusual techniques enter into the compositions and into the playing of Mr. Cowell. For example, in "Deep Tides," the great rolling pull of the deep tide is indicated by low bass chords with so many notes in them that they are played with the whole arm below the elbow instead of merely with the fingers. The first plays an important part in "Advertisement." To obtain the eerie effect of an Aeolian harp, the composer plucked the strings of the Steinway grand piano instead of using the keys in the conventional manner.

Mr. Cowell began to play the piano while he was very young and had given recitals before he was eight. He decided when he was eight or nine to become a composer, and at the age of eleven began to write opera.

Mr. Cowell said that he composed more than a hundred compositions before he received training. Some musicians heard him, and he began his formal education at the University of California.

The composer said that he was known as a modernist and a radical. He believes a composer should develop a unique approach, and not use just one set of chords.

Mr. Cowell has made several tours of Europe, playing in such cities as Warsaw, Leipzig, and Berlin.

He spends the fall and winter in Fresno, California, where he does most of his composing. His summer home is in New York City. He is making a tour at present through the United States, spending two or three days on each college campus he visits.

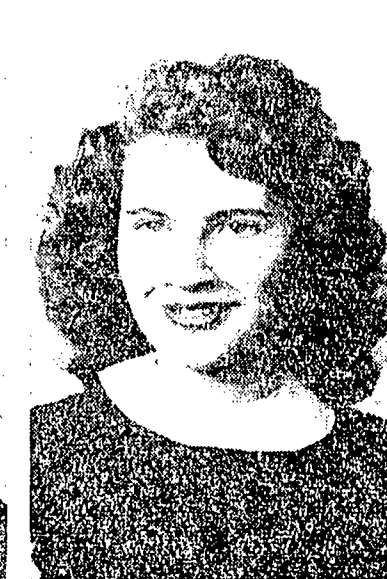
During the war, Mr. Cowell was (Continued on Page 4)



are Mary Garrett, Maryville, junior; Martha Lewis, Clarinda, Iowa, senior; Joyce Heck, Mound City, sophomore; Margaret Fisher, Maryville, freshman; and Mary Pat Brazzell, Hatfield, sophomore. The Tower



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"March of Dimes"

Alpha Phi Omega is asking the cooperation of everyone in the College community in the collection of funds for the fight against infantile paralysis. Collections will be taken in all classes on Tuesday, January 28. The dimes that go to make up the "March of Dimes" may be stretched to dollars, and nobody will complain, say those in charge.

Miss Flores Flies Home Because Mother Is Ill

Miss Flora Flores, student from San Jose, Costa Rica, has been summoned home because of the illness of her mother, Mrs. Lilly Flores. Leaving Tuesday, January 14, Miss Flores went to Kansas City where she took a Mid-Continent plane to New Orleans. Traveling Pan-American Airways from New Orleans, Miss Flores expected to arrive in San Jose, Friday, January 17.

Miss Flores had received a cablegram from her sister in San Jose telling of the mother's illness, and she was ready to leave the campus as soon as arrangements could be made for her ticket. It will be the first time she has been back to her native country since she flew to the United States and enrolled in the College two years ago.

Prince Zogi Displays Magic in Stage Review

Prince Zogi, colorful veteran magician, presented a stage review in the College auditorium, Tuesday evening, January 4. The program was sponsored by the Maryville Kiwanis Club. Proceeds from the entertainment will be used in the organization's fund for youth recreation and community improvement.

Zogi, studied with the late King of Magic, Houdini, and served as an assistant to him. He has been conducting his own show for twenty-two years. In recent years he has devoted most of his time to appearances before service troops.

Foreign Enrollment Is Increased to Twelve

Two foreign students who are enrolled at the College are Nick G. Marinos and Manuel Gadea. They bring the number of foreign students studying here to twelve.

Nick G. Marinos was born on an island in Greece, and when he was ten years old he moved to Athens, where he attended Athens College, a Greek-American school, for nine years. The following year after his graduation from gymnasium (approximately equivalent of high school) he, with the help of his former school, was able to obtain a scholarship in an American college. He entered this College on October 10, 1946. The main interest of Mr. Marinos is biology, and he looks forward to specializing in botany and plant-pathology. He has no definite plans for the future, but his ambition is to work in a research laboratory. Another desire of his is to help in some way in the rehabilitation of his country, which was completely devastated by the Axis occupation forces. His hobbies while in Greece were reading, collecting insects, mountain climbing, and skiing.

Manuel Gadea was born in Lima, Peru, and lived there twenty-one years. He attended primary school in the Institute of Modern Education in Lima, and attended high school in the British-Pervian college in Lima. He worked in the International Business Machines Corporation of Delaware, in Peru, for four years, and after attending a special school for one year received the title of Operator of International Business Machines.

Six years after graduating from high school Mr. Gadea attained his ideal of coming to the United States to study the profession of architectural engineering. He arrived at this College on November 27, 1946. His favorite courses are mathematics and art. He has no definite plans for the future, but likes architectural work.

Symphonic Band Will Give Assembly Program

Tuesday, February 4, at ten o'clock, the Symphonic Band, conducted by Mr. Willard Robb, will present the following program:

National Anthem Key
Northwest Missouri State Teachers College Bearcats (March)

Overture to Tannhauser Wagner
Prelude in E Minor (Judgment Day) Robb

Rhapsody in Blue Gershwin
Wagner's "Overture to Tannhauser," a difficult symphony, will be conducted from memory by Mr. Robb. "Prelude in E Minor (Judgment Day)" is one of Mr. Robb's original compositions.

There are fifty members in the band now. Two years ago there were only nine members.

Miss Truex Visits College.

Miss Dorothy Truex, dean of women, at Mercer University, Macon, Georgia, visited Miss Winice Ann Carruth, head of the Physical Education Department during the week preceding Christmas. Miss Truex former director of Women's activities at the College, has been in her present position since September, 1945.

Dr. Harry G. Dildine to Speak First on 1947 February Series

Harvard President Gives Back Honorarium Offered

"School and Community," the official publication of the Missouri State Teachers Association, told in a recent issue the following story of a new experience.

"President James B. Conant, Harvard University, returned a very handsome honorarium with the statement, 'It would give me a great deal of pleasure if I might consider that my address to the Missouri State Teachers Association was in the form of a contribution to public education.' He continued, 'I feel that the work that members of your Association are doing is so important a public service and so little recognized by the public in many ways that those of us outside who may be able to help ought to do so without undue expense. Furthermore, I enjoyed the meeting intensely and appreciated the very large audience which did me the honor to listen to my remarks.'"

"One is moved by such an expression and can only say that it exemplifies the man that he is."

College to Receive Recognition Plaque

Navy Awards to Schools
Which Contributed to
War Program.

The Northwest Missouri State Teachers College is one of the fifty-three colleges, universities, and other educational institutions in this area to be presented bronze plaques by the Navy Department. Vice Admiral George D. Murray, USN Commandant of the Ninth Naval District, has announced. The Plaques will serve as a permanent memorial of the services rendered by the institutions that made their facilities available to the Navy for the training of officers and enlisted men during the war. Individual presentations will be made with appropriate ceremonies at the convenience of the schools, upon receipt of plaques from the Navy Department.

The contributions of these fifty-three colleges were varied, ranging from the education of seminarians to be Navy chaplains, to the training of radio operators, cooks and bakers, and mechanics. In some cases the colleges lent instructors. At many colleges, navy men attended classes with civilians. At others, the Navy set up its own specialists' schools on the college campuses, using the institutions' classrooms, laboratories, and living quarters. At one university, the administration building was made into a dormitory for men attending a radio operators school, and twenty-four men were berthed in what used to be the President's office. Two universities lent large buildings and other facilities for the establishment of Naval Reserve Midshipman Schools.

Eight colleges played host to NROTC units, while 31 had Navy V-12 units on campus. In addition, fourteen V-12 units were established at medical schools in the district, ten at dental schools, and five at seminaries.

Seven schools taught refresher courses for enlisted men selected for flight training, and the same number of preflight schools were set up. Four colleges lent their facilities to cooks and bakers schools, three taught Diesel engineering, and two trained electricians. Courses were also set up for machinist's mates and amphibious firemen. Many of these institutions had more than one Naval Training School on campus, and one had seven separate schools operating simultaneously.

The Northwest Missouri State Teachers College had Navy V-12 and V-5 units on the campus.

College Launches Reading Program

Clinic Is Established for
Students Whose Reading
Ability Is Low.

In September of the current year the first step toward the goal of organizing and equipping a reading clinic at the College was initiated. All students of freshman standing were required to take a standard reading test for the purpose of discovering reading difficulties. The results of the tests were encouraging. The median for approximately three hundred students was 52.4, 2.4 above the standard median.

An opportunity for those who needed to improve their reading abilities and skills was provided during the quarter. The class worked stressed vocabulary study, training in increasing rate of reading, and practice in improving the essential abilities required in comprehending what is read. At present the only training equipment consists of manuals designed to provide training in the previously mentioned abilities and skills.

A College regulation requires that all students who need to improve their reading ability must take the course in Laboratory Reading. The course is planned for twenty meetings with two meetings each week.

"The success of the work depends, in part," says Miss Dora B. Smith, who is in charge, "upon the attitude of the student toward the work and his desire to want to improve his ability to read. There are few, if any, who cannot improve. With the great demands made upon the reader today both in and out of college, it is imperative that he read at his maximum level of attainment if he is to be able to meet in a satisfactory manner and with an economical expenditure of time his responsibilities to society where reading is involved."

In time, the College will have a well-equipped, clinical reading laboratory, completely staffed. Provision will be made for clinical diagnosis not only for the students of the College, but for the pupils who are in the public schools of the district and who are experiencing serious difficulties in reading. This long-view program is in line with the best practices today.

February 2, College Opens
Thirteenth Year of Four
Number Series.

Lectures Become Tradition

Lectures to Be Published Later in
Northwest Missouri Teachers
College Studies.

Next month the College will present the first number of its thirteenth Annual Series of February Lectures. These lectures, given by three faculty members of the College and a guest speaker from some other college or university, have become one of the traditions of the College. The lectures are given on four consecutive Sunday afternoons.

On Sunday, February 2, Dr. Harry G. Dildine of the Social Science department, will speak on the subject, "Bolsheviks, Icons, and Patriarchs."

The lecture series was conceived in 1930 by a small group of faculty members who felt that something was needed to stimulate scholastic enterprise, give evidence of professional activity on the part of the faculty members, and widen avenues of knowledge for the audiences. The first lecture was presented on February 8, 1931, when Dr. Harry G. Dildine, a member of the College faculty, spoke on the subject, "Ghandi, the Son of Empire." Lectures were given the next two years, then lapsed until 1937 when they were resumed to continue to the present time. Dr. Anna M. Painter, a former member of the College faculty, was the first speaker on the 1937 series. Her subject was "An Old Story Retold."

Each person appearing on the preparation of the lecture to be given. There is free choice of subject, and the speaker's preparation usually involves much research.

Lectures in the past have been given on such widely diversified subjects as the following: Russian Drama, Crete, The Ante-Bellum Southwest, Shintoism, Alexander (Continued on page 4)

Speaker Compares Democratic Ideals

Assembly Visitor Asserts
Scandinavian Democracy
Functions Well.

Dr. Howard Leach, noted scholar and editor, addressed the students and faculty of the College at the regular assembly, Wednesday, January 15. He talked on the two types of democracies; comparing the type used in the Scandinavian countries with the type used in America.

Mr. Leach began with a partial definition of democracy. He said that the original ideal of democracy was that the people rule. In France, liberty, equality, and fraternity are considered principles of democracy.

Dr. Leach pointed out that democracy is the hardest system of government in the world to maintain. He added that it has often been deserted, that in prehistoric times it was, perhaps, turned aside in favor of a dictatorship.

Dr. Leach informed the audience that people overseas were under the impression that Americans would not fight again because of dislike of the settlements from the last war. He told them, however, that if democracy were threatened, America would defend it!

According to the speaker a common denominator must be found in order to define Americanism. He challenged anyone to find a common denominator for Frank Sinatra and General "Ike" Eisenhower.

Scandinavian democracy is much older than that practiced in the United States, said Dr. Leach. It was set up just after the last "Ice Age." Scandinavian countries had not been occupied since then until 1940, when Germany occupied Denmark.

He asserted that kings in Scandinavia occupy about the same position as American bank presidents.

Mr. Leach said equality practiced in Scandinavia is inclined to level the people's rights up; in Russia, they are leveled down; and in America, they are leveled to average.

The speaker pointed out that in Scandinavia, people always vote for the best man who is running for an office, regardless of his politics. They want to use the best man in order to pull up the masses.

Mr. Leach said if Scandinavians came to America, they would be more American than Americans themselves.

Business Law Class Holds Trial

"I object."
"Objection overruled."
"Do you swear to tell the truth, the whole truth?"

"I object your honor!"
"Mr. Basford, I fine you \$100 for contempt of court."

"Order in the court room!"
These remarks and other familiar (and unfamiliar) law terms echoed down the lower halls of the College from December 18 to 20, as Mr. Sterling Surrey's Business Law class participated in a mock trial, bringing the aspects of a court room to the class room.

The court room was called to order by Mary Apley and proceedings began for the formation of a jury. Members of the class were called before the council and questioned concerning their familiarity with the facts of the case and the plaintiff, Mr. Darrell Foster, their prejudices formed, if any, and their name, age, and occupation. Janet Drennan, Iris Wehrli, Margaret Wade, and Sarah Jane Higgins were removed from the jury when they admitted that they were minors. The final jury members were Dewey Drennan, foreman, Rjean Black, Shirley Stevens, Bruce Mitchell, Jeanne Taylor, Betty Stephenson, Roger Farmer, Helen Spangler, Leo Strohm, Louis Watkins, and Manley Thomson.

Other participants in the case were as follows:

Presiding Judge: Mr. Surrey.
Attorneys for Plaintiff: Raymond and Richard Basford.

Attorneys for Defense: Charlotte Spahnower, Harvey Lund. The Defendant: Buckley Corporation.

The Plaintiff: Darrell Foster. Clerk: Mary Apley.

Court Reporter: Raymond Schardine.

Witnesses: Gene Polk, Louise Straight, J. D. Rush, Arthur Anderson, Una Claypool, and Betty Ferguson.

In an interview with reporters, Judge Surrey summed up the case of Foster vs. Buckley Corporation in the following words, "Mr. Darrell Foster, former auditor for the Buckley Manufacturing Corporation, brought suit against that company, its officers, and directors. Mr. Foster transferred certain properties to the aforementioned company, but brought suit to set aside the transfer of these properties on the grounds of duress. (Duress is the inability to exercise one's will freely at the time of the formation of an agreement because of fear, usually the result of misconduct on the part of the other party.) A prominent official of the Buckley Corporation stated that Mr. Foster had tampered with the accounts of the concern. Officials of the company had suggested to Mr. Foster that he had better make a settlement. The speaker furthermore advised that although Mr. Foster was given an opportunity to be present at an audit of his accounts, he did not appear. The technicality of the whole case is: 'Did Mr. Foster transfer his

property to the Buckley Corp. under duress? Were the threats or constraints sufficient to overcome the will of the party bringing the action?"

(Note to readers: See Mr. Surrey for translation.)

As the trial opened, Mr. McClure, attorney for the plaintiff, presented his case to the jury, and called to the stand the first witness, Miss Una Claypool, who testified that Mr. Foster's character was unquestionable. The second witness, Mr. Anderson, executive of the Corporation, admitted making the statement to Mr. Foster that "You'd better settle or we will take you to court." The testimony of the next witness intensified the jury's interest in the case, as Miss Betty Ferguson, junior accountant of the Corporation, told the jury of her acquaintance with the plaintiff, Mr. Foster, her association with him in the office, and of his honesty and capabilities. Mr. Gene Polk, an eminent psychiatrist, testified that Mr. Foster was undoubtedly suffering from a mental disease at the time of the deficit in his books, not duress. Miss Louise Straight was also called to the witness stand to testify regarding Mr. Foster's character. She admitted that through her association with the plaintiff outside of the office she had discovered that his character was "not so good as had been painted."

Summaries were presented and jury by Mr. Harvey Lund and Mr. Basford, and the jury went into a conference. Judgment was for the defendant.

Major Likes Missouri

Major O. C. Trauer, a graduate of the College, recently wrote Mr. Bert Cooper of his present work with the Army in Japan. Excerpts of the letter reveal that he is just as loyal as ever to his home state despite the fact that to him service abroad has been enjoyable.

"I thought I would be home before this," writes Major Trauer, "but have been held over as essential. I am in charge of a former Japanese property. We are more or less of a trust company. Here we have around 12,000 pieces of property. I have my bureau office, three section offices, and 21 branch offices. Among our officers here are three Missourians, one educated at Park College. Colonel Peeke was born and reared in Japan and Michigan, but received his B. A. from Park. Colonel Murphy is from Braymer. He owns a farm at Maryville and expects to retire there. His wife is a Wallace, and I think he told me he had two nieces in school there. He is an uncle—L. I. former director of Women's activities at the College, has been in her present position since September, 1945.

But as much as Helen and I feel we are doing O. K., our big ambition is to return to Missouri. A funny place that, but nowhere have I seen a place that compares with Missouri from every angle. I liked Washington, Texas, Georgia, Virginia, Canada, California, Chicago, and even Kansas the short time I was there. And I do not dislike the Orient, but Missouri has them all. There are just lucky.

"The political situation over here is not too good. Only about 10% of the people are Communists, but they are an active 10%, and divide you ever figure how many people 10% of an Oriental country are? And they are subsidized; don't forget it. It is rather a complicated deal and would almost take a book to explain it, and it makes things a bit complicated for our policies and objectives."

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THE COLLEGE OATH

"We will never bring disgrace to this, our College, by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the College. We will revere and obey the College laws and do our best to incite a like respect and reverence in others. We will transmit this College to those who come after us, greater, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us."

RELIGION IN COLLEGE

Religiously, college life is unique in its naturalness, its divorce from home and common life, its associations and intellectual difficulties. Students may be classed as loyal, half-hearted, and cynical churchmen, or as hostile to religion. Each agency now at work has its strength and its weakness. The local church represents normal religion, its relation to history, the community, and the whole life of the students; but geared as it is, it is not adapted to meet the student's intellectual needs, and it cuts across the unity of college life.

The first task necessary toward making religion a vital factor in the life of the college student educational, because it is definitely operative in the art of making living an art."

The second task is missionary in process and character. It is the training of college students as laymen and special religious workers for places of responsibility and leadership.

The third task is religious. And the one purpose of this objective is that every student shall be faced with his relationship to God, the conservation of the highest values, the realization of good character, and the achievement of Christian personality.

The final responsibility is practical in nature. The Christian faith is fulfilled in Christian life and action, and is relevant to all those issues in society which involve the welfare of men and women. Complementary to the understanding of the objectives and demands of the Christian life is the actual realization of Christian ideals and conduct.

JOSEPH H. WAGNER
 Department of English

GETTING OUT THE COLLEGE PAPER

Few students realize the complicated process through which a news item must go before it becomes a printed news story. News is gathered by reporters from members of the faculty, from college officials, and from the students.

After the essentials of a news story are gathered—the who? what? when? where? and why?—is the job of the reporter to place the "copy" in the student editor's basket.

Copy that is handed in by the reporter must be read to eliminate errors in grammar, to correct punctuation, and to see that it conforms to journalistic ethics. Before the copy can go to the printers, a headline must be written for the story.

Deadline for the news is Friday evening before publication date. By this time all copy must be sent down to the printer. Long galleys of the printed material in single columns are prepared by the printer. The galleys are sent back to the Northwest Missourian office to be read again. When they are sent back to the printer's office with all errors corrected.

Monday evening the faculty editor, the faculty adviser, and the student editor cut away the margins of these proofs, or galleys, and then paste them on a "dummy" copy of the paper in order to "make up" the "Northwest Missourian." Shifting and cutting are necessary before the proof finds its final position, and often it is necessary to save a news story until the next week because it just does not fit into the pattern.

On Tuesday afternoon the same people go to the printing office to work with the printer on making up the paper and to read page proof. News stories that cannot be used are carefully saved for the next paper. An effort is made to use these items that would be out of date by the next week, but when this is not possible, the items are "killed" and returned to the printer and he destroys the type that has been set for these stories.

MYRTLE LEE BURNS
 Editor.

The snow had begun in the gloaming
 And busily all the night
 Had been heaping fields and highways
 In a silence deep and white.

The First Snowfall.

From: The President
To: The Students

These are the five things which I ask you to do this year.

1. Determine to make at least one outstanding contribution to the welfare of your College.

2. Support the special days and events that are sponsored by your College and participate in some of them.

3. Actively participate in at least one campus activity running throughout the year.

4. Assure yourself and your College that your conduct in everything you do creates the best public relations attitude toward your College.

5. Organize your College life so that you shall improve the quality of scholarship which represents your record in the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College.

J. W. JONES
 President.

Calendar

January 23, Thursday
 W. A. A.—7:00-8:00.
 F. T. A.—8:00-9:00, Den.
 Varsity Villagers Carnival.
 Halls, 103, 101.

January 24, Friday
 A. A. U. P.—7:30, Dream Kitchen.

Sigma Sigma Sigma informal party—8:30-11:30, Den.

January 25, Saturday
 Game, Maryville vs. Cape Girardeau, Here.

January 26, Sunday
 Sigma Tau Gamma formal initiation—Country Club.

January 27, Monday
 String Ensemble—7:00, Room 205.

A. C. E.—7:00, Horace Mann.
 Kappa Omicron Phi—7:00, Home Economics House.

January 28, Tuesday
 Senate—6:45, Den.

Dance Club—7:00, Room 114.

January 29, Wednesday
 Dramatics Club—4:00, Room 103.

Varsity Villagers Council—7:00, Room 103.

Independents Club—7:30, Room 207.

Phi Sigma Epsilon—7:15, Den.

January 30, Thursday
 W. A. A.—7:00-8:30.

January 31, Friday
 Game, Maryville vs. Rolla, Here.

February 1, Saturday
 Scoop Dance—9:00-1:00, Room 114.

February 3, Monday
 Pepper Meeting—5:00, Room 113.

String Ensemble—7:00, Room 205.

Veterans Club—7:00, Room 103.

International Relations Club—7:00-8:00, Den.

Newman Club—7:30, Room 207.

Home Economics Club—7:30, H. E. House.

Student Christian Association—8:00-9:00, Den.

February 4, Tuesday
 Senate—6:45, Den.

Dance Club—7:00, Room 114.

February 5, Wednesday
 Dramatics Club—4:00, Room 103.

Phi Sigma Epsilon—7:15, 614 W. 2nd.

Sigma Tau Gamma—7:30, Den.

February 6, Thursday
 W. A. A.—7:00-8:30, Room 114.

At the Theaters

Missouri—
 Thurs.-Fri.-Sat., Jan. 23-25

Double Feature Program—
 "Rainbow Island," Starring

Dorothy Lamour and Eddie

Bracken. Also, "Great Stage

Coach Robbery," with Red Ryder.

Sun.-Mon.-Tues.-Wed., Jan. 26-29.

"Nobody Lives Forever," with

John Garfield and Geraldine

Fitzgerald.

Thurs.-Fri.-Sat., Jan. 30-31, Feb. 1.

Eleanor Parker, Paul Henreid,

and Alexis Smith in "Of Human

Bondage." Also, Gene Autry in

"Melody Ranch."

Sun.-Mon.-Tues., Feb. 2-5

"Big Sleep," with Lauren Bacall

and Humphrey Bogart.

Tivoli—
 Thurs., Jan. 23.

"Child of Divorce," with Sharyn

Moffett and Regis Toomey.

Fri.-Sat., Jan. 24-25.

Double Feature Program—

"Wide Open Spaces," starring

Joe E. Brown. Also, a western

Horace Mann High School
Reports Student Teachers

Forty-one student teachers from various departments of the College are assisting for the winter quarter in Horace Mann High School.

Those who are now teaching are as follows: Catherine Aldrich, Bookkeeping; Charles Beggs, Boys' Basketball; Myrtle Lee Burns, English I; Mary Ellen Burr, Junior High Art; Samuel Eugene Gross, Hygiene and First Aid; Leona Fae Downing, Music.

Janet Elaine Drennan, Typing I; Edythe Fitzwater, English III; Flora Flores, Spanish II; Darrell E. Foster, Algebra I; Esther M. Gasper, Physical Education; Robert J. Gowing, World History; Marguerite L. Hallock, Industrial Arts (Girls).

Elden R. Haskell, Biology; Mrs. Sara Jane Huggins, Physical Education; Alta Lorene Jensen, General Mathematics; Burton K. Lewis, Jr., American History; Raymond L. McClurg, General Business; James A. McKinstry, Speech; Evelyn Matter, World History.

Betty Myrie Neill, English II; Errol Myers, Hygiene and First Aid; Opal O'Dell, Citizenship; Doris D. Polk, Physical Education; Edward A. Reynolds, Industrial Arts; A. J. Rizzo, Typing; Clyde Saville, Secretarial Practice.

Norville E. Schrage, Physics; Mrs. Thelma Myers, Citizenship; Charlotte R. Spainhower, Bookkeeping; Odd Steinholt, English III; D. Louise Straight, Typing; Betty Jane Stroober; Shorthand; Kenneth B. Tebow, Speech.

Maurice A. Thomas, Commerce; Kenton E. Thompson, General Science; Paul M. Toland, General Science; Billy Dale Vest, Industrial Arts; Sherrard Paul Wilson, Physical Education; Albert Parker Wood, Industrial Arts; and Verlin Young, Agriculture.

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Senior Officers

Do you know your class officers? It is quite possible that you are not familiar with those in charge of your class. Do you know anything about them?

This is the first of a series of articles to be written about your class officers. Here is an opportunity for you to get acquainted with them, beginning with the seniors.

Turner Tyson, who is now out of residence, was elected president, but since his graduation, Paul Wilson, as vice president, has taken over. Mr. Wilson, a native of Columbus, Georgia, lives at 803 North Fillmore in Maryville. His major is physical education and his minor, industrial arts. He is active in College sports, was captain of the football team this fall, and is now on the basketball team. He is a member of the Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity and a member

of the "M" Club. He served in the Army Air Corps as gunner and crew chief.

Clara Judson, senior class secretary, comes from St. Joseph and lives at Residence Hall. Her major is primary education; her minor, home economics. She is a member of the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority, the Buchanan County Club, and the Association of Childhood Education, of which she is secretary. Miss Judson is interested in Girl Scouting and all activities connected with it. She has been a camp counselor.

Jeanne Stewart, class treasurer, is from Hamburg, Iowa, and lives at Residence Hall. Her major is social science, her minor, sociology. Miss Stewart is chaplain of the Alpha Sigma Alpha and president of the Green and White Peppers organization.

What Your Senate Does
OFFICERS

Robert Davis.....President
 Janet Drennan.....Vice-President
 Jay Roberts.....Secretary
 Joan Miller.....Treasurer
 Clem Myers.....Parliamentarian

Class Representatives
 Senior Senators: Robert Davis, Paul Wilson, Clem Myers, Janet Drennan, Martha Lewis, and Kenneth Lepley.

Junior Senators: Doris Polk, Bill Vest, Gene Polk, Dean Hoshor, Mercedes Myers, and Mary Garrett.

Sophomore Senators: Wilmer Martin, Joan Miller, Jay Roberts, Roberta Pinke, and Raymond Nally.

Freshman Senator: William Eugene Elam.

Janet Drennan, vice-president of the Student Senate, opened the meeting in the absence of Bob Davis, the president. Clem Myers and Ken Lepley were absent, and Bill Elam was late to the meeting.

As acting president of the student body, Janet Drennan assumed the duty of holding freshman class election.

Alpha Phi Omega asked the Student Senate to make an inquiry as to the steps the school has taken toward fire prevention. They also offered their assistance, if needed.

Alpha Phi Omega was given permission to use the Bearcats' Den and Smoker Monday night, January 13, 1947.

Bulletin Board

A. A. U. P. Meeting

Members of the American Association of University Professors will meet at the Dream Kitchen, Friday 24, at 6:00 p. m. Dr. June Cozine will appear on the program, giving portions of her dissertation study at the University of Chicago.

Community Teachers Meet

On Wednesday night, January 29, members of the Community Teachers Association will meet in the Bearcat Den at six o'clock.

Campus Miniature Chow
Hall Business Is Good

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN. — (ACP) — Bob White is more than just a whistle around the University of Minnesota campus these days. His rolling "Cracker Box," a jeep-trailer combination lunch room, has been doing a lot for hungry students this fall.

White ran the gauntlet of state, city and campus agencies that wouldn't approve the project until he had bought eight licenses (including a "trailer peddler's license," in these mobile times). The jeep he bought from the war surplus commodities board.

Now he starts at 8:50 each night with his apples, oranges, candy bars, sandwiches and coffee to satisfy student bedtime appetites. White buys his sandwiches and coffee from a restaurant so he has no cooking to do in the 6 by 10 trailer, which he bought minus the wheelbase, siding and conveniences for storekeeping.

The miniature chow hall business will continue, White says, as long as it is profitable and not too many new licenses are needed.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Huff, graduates of the College, announce the birth of a daughter, Jane, who was born December 13, in St. Joseph. Mrs. Huff was the former Miss Frances Shamberger of near Maryville.

Dr. J. W. Jones, president of the College, and Mr. Everett W. Brown, director of field service, attended the all day meeting of the Mercer County Teachers in Princeton, Tuesday, January 21. Mr. Jones and Mr. Brown participated in the program presented to the teachers.

Mr. Harry Haun, a graduate of the College, has accepted the position as superintendent of schools in Bolckow.

During the war, Mr. Haun worked in the Red Cross organization. Before the war he was instructor in Skidmore and Graham Schools.

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NEW LIBRARY BOOKS

1. The Springfield Plan
Alexander Alland
2. Dictionary of Education
Carter Victor Good
3. Learning to Read Through Experience
Mrs. Lillian Lamoreaux
4. Strawberry Girl
Lola Lenski
5. Science and Scientists in the Netherlands Indies
Pieter Honig
6. Man: an Autobiography
George Pippy Stewart
7. Microbes of Merit
Otto Rahn
8. Alcoholics are Sick People
Robert Victor Seliger
9. Machine—Tool Work
William Payson Turner
10. New Crops for the New World
Charles Morrow Wilson
11. Business Filing
E. Bassett
12. Welding
James Ambrose Meyer
13. Planning Your Home
Clarence Whiting Dunham
14. Listening to Music Creatively
Edwin John Stringham
15. Major American Poets
Harry Hayden Clark
16. Mr. Wilmer
Robert Lawson
17. Harvest of the Lowlands
Jan Creshoff
18. Brandeis
Alpheus Thomas Mason
19. Rash! Maurice Liber
20. Experiment "E"
Leon Szalet

Veteran's
News

At the present time the Federal Government through the cooperation of thousands of training institutions is involved in one of the most comprehensive educational programs ever undertaken.

This program was begun when Congress passed legislation known as Public Laws, 16 and 346. Public Law 16 deals with the disabled veterans while Public Law 346, which is commonly known as the G. I. Bill of Rights, deals with the education of non-disabled veterans.

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[Social Activities]

Twenty-two New Members Receive Their Initiation

The Sigma Epsilon fraternity initiated twenty-two new active members Sunday afternoon, December 22, at the chapter room of their fraternity house at 614 West Second. The ceremony was the formal initiation ceremony following the traditional "hell" ceremony. The initiation ceremonies were held for the following men who successfully completed their probationary period: Earl Pope, Maryville; Garrett, Maryville; Melville, Maryville; Weldon Hagan, Maryville; Arthur "Knobby" Walsh, Chicago, Illinois; Gordon Bixler, Chicago, Illinois; Johnny Shiel, Maloy, Iowa; Lloyd Coleman, Perry, Iowa; Amy Adams, Wilcox; Bob Wilcox, Grant City; Eddie Reese, Wilmington; Bob Bradley, Clarion, Iowa; Zee Grissinger, Albany; Stewart, Ridgeway; Bob Osse, Craig; Bob Anderson, Block, Iowa; and Don Snyder, Gal-ter.

Others Are Guests at Alpha Sigma Alpha Tea

The Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority had a tea on Friday afternoon, December 20, at the home of Mrs. J. Jones, in honor of their mothers. A daughter gave her mother a pin, bearing the sorority crest. Besides a gift exchange, there was a Christmas program in which the Christmas song was sung by a consisting of Beverly Johnson, a Hunter, and Ann Curnutt. A phone solo was presented by Lily Litsch; a vocal solo by Mary Arden, Green Jacket and College Players organizations.

Alpha Phi Holds Annual Founders Day Banquet

On December 21, the annual founders day formal dinner was held at the Home Management House at 6:00 p. m. Mrs. F. Marcell and Miss Giles, alumnae, and Miss Hettie M. Anthony, present. Mexican candy, which the girls brought back from Mexico, was served as dessert. The program followed the dinner—a slide-lighting service was held by each member of Kappa Phi. The program was closed by the singing of the Alpha Phi song. Phyllis Butts, John Wesley's grave. Gene Owen, Sarah Espey, Elaine Wilcox, and Eloise Harryman gave reports on the convalescence held at Gserville, Texas.

Dance Club Plans For Annual Spring Recital

The members of the Dance Club their sponsor, Miss Win-Ann Carruth, held an important business meeting January 14. At the meeting plans for the annual recital were discussed and plans for the costumes were made. Also at this meeting plans were discussed for other dances in near future. These dances will be presented on programs in Har-ber County and will be associated with a Dramatics Club program. No dance practices have been held since the Christmas holidays, they will begin again next week.

Miss Carruth Speaks For Local Education Group

The Association of Childhood Education met January 13, at Hor-Mann School. The meeting was called to order by the vice president, Rachel Robinson, in the presence of the president, LaVonne Werlind. During the business meeting it was decided that the initiation of new members should take place at the next meeting which will be January 28. Miss Win-Ann Carruth, of the physical Education department, was the main speaker of the evening. Her subject was "Physical Education for Children." At the end her talk a rhythm demonstration was given. The meeting ended with an American Folk dance. Miss Alta B. Carpenter of the physical faculty has been asked to talk to the association at a meeting to be announced later. She will talk on "Children's Literature."

Tri Sigs Plan Informal Party.

The next event on the social calendar for Sigma Sigma Sigma is an informal party to be held January 24, probably in the Bearcats' Den. Helen Sutton, Margaret Curran and Juanita Ford are on the committee to plan the party.

College Weddings

Steeby-Donaldson

Miss Dorothy Steeby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Steeby, Cameron, and Mr. LeRoy Donaldson, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Skinner, Cameron, were married Tuesday, December 23, in the Methodist church, Troy, Kansas, at 8:30 p. m., with the Rev. Clarence L. Harter officiating with the single ring ceremony. Mrs. Jack Connell, formerly Miss Connie Bolar, a long time friend and college-mate of the bride, was matron of honor, and Mr. George E. Hill, close friend of the groom, was best man. Mrs. Donaldson was a graduate of the College in the spring of 1943. She then accepted a secretarial position with the North American Bomber Plant, Kansas City, and later was associated with the KCMO Broadcasting Station in Kansas City. The past year she has taught vocal music and physical education in the Cameron High School. Mr. Donaldson is employed as field representative of the Department of Resources and Development with headquarters in Jefferson City. Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson are living in Cameron.

Williams-Robbins

The little Chapel-in-the-Woods on the campus of Texas State College for Women in Denton, Texas, was the scene of the wedding of Miss Maxine Williams of Denton, to William D. Robbins, Jr., of Maryville, December 20. After a wedding trip to Brownsville and the Gulf coast the couple will be at home at 107 Lawn avenue, Maryville. Miss Williams was a student at North Texas State College in Denton. She is a member of the Beta Pi Gamma sorority, Junior Mary Arden, Green Jacket and College Players organizations. Mr. Robbins attended Kemper Military school. He served for two years in the armed forces. They are now attending the College.

Stanton-Weeda

Mr. and Mrs. Warren E. Stanton of College Springs, Iowa, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Betty Jo Stanton, to Mr. Donald L. Weeda, son of Mrs. Nelle Weeda of Maryville. The wedding took place at 1 p. m. December 27, at the home of the bride's parents. The Rev. Alfred Kelsey, pastor of the United Presbyterian church in College Springs, performed the double ring ceremony. Mrs. Weeda is a graduate of College Springs high school and of the College's class of 1946. Mr. Weeda is a graduate of the Maryville high school and the College's class of 1946. Mr. and Mrs. Weeda are members of the Phi Omega Pi, national honorary commercial fraternity. Mr. Weeda is also a member of the Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity.

McDonald-Snyder

Mrs. Robin Snyder, prior to her marriage on Sunday, December 23, was Glenadine McDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. McDonald of Maryville. Both she and Mr. Snyder, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Snyder of Gallatin, are now attending the College. Rev. Joseph Wagner performed the ceremony. The bride is a member of the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority and the bridegroom belongs to the Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity.

Coile-Cramer

On Thursday, December 26, Miss Dorothy Coile, daughter of Mrs. Mary Coile, became the bride of Mr. Charles Cramer. The bride, whose home is in Maryville, was a student in the College beginning in the fall of 1942, prior to her entrance into St. Mary's Nursing Home at Rochester, Minnesota, from which she graduated last November. She was a member of the Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority while in school here. The groom was at the College as a student with the first group of V-12 men and is now attending law school at the University of Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. Cramer are making their home in Independence.

Withington-Busby

The marriage of Charlotte Withington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Withington of Curtis, Nebraska, to Mr. Robert Busby, son of Mrs. Mary A. Busby of Lawrence, Kansas, took place December 31. Mrs. Busby, whose home was formerly in Maryville, is a graduate of the School of Journalism, Missouri University. Mr. Busby graduated from the University of Kansas and is a former member of the College faculty.

Kissinger-Hoshor

Gertrude Kissinger of Maryville became the bride of Dean Hoshor of Westboro at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon December 29, at the home of her parents, Dr. J. A. Baldwin performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kissinger of Maryville. The bridegroom is a son of Charles Hoshor, sr., of Westboro. Mrs. Hoshor graduated from Maryville high school and is at present a student at the College. She is a member of the Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority.

Mr. Hoshor attended school at Westboro and since his discharge has been a student at the College. He is a member of the Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity.

After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in an apartment on North Buchanan street. They will continue their studies at the College.

Drennan-Jackson

Miss Betty Drennan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen V. Drennan of Corning, Iowa, was married to Mr. Gerald L. Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Jackson of Iowa Falls, Iowa, at the First Methodist Church in Des Moines, Iowa, Saturday, December 21, at 3:00 p. m. Miss Janet Drennan of Maryville, sister of the bride and a student at the College, acted as maid of honor. Mr. James J. Bradley of Iowa City, a service friend of the groom, served as best man. The Reverend C. C. Bacon officiated the double-ring ceremony.

The bride graduated from the College in May, 1943, and received her Master's degree from the University of Missouri. She has taught commercial subjects at Hickman High School in Columbia for the past three years and now teaches at North High School in Des Moines. The bridegroom graduated from Iowa State Teachers College and received his Master's degree from Columbia University, New York. He served with the Army Air Corps and is now employed in the registration department of the Veterans Administration in Des Moines.

Upon their return from a trip to New Orleans, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson will reside in Des Moines.

Berger-Lett

A romance that began four years ago, when Lt. and Mrs. Alva F. Lett, Jr., were students of the College, reached its happy ending during the holidays last month. The out-of-the-ordinary wedding ceremony was performed at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Lett, sr., Pickering, although Lt. Lett was several thousand miles away. The bride, daughter of Mrs. Lena Berger of Princeton, exchanged "I do's" with her husband via trans-Atlantic telephone. Acting as best man for his brother L. J. Lett placed the ring on the finger of the bride, before a small group of relatives and friends. She will leave the latter part of this month to join her husband, who is serving as an intelligence officer at the air base in Rhein-Main, Germany. A second wedding service will be read at the Air Base Chapel. Lt. Lett has a seven-room furnished house with a maid and butler engaged waiting for his bride.

Shively-Myers

Miss Thelma Clementine Shively, daughter of Mrs. H. C. Shively and the late Mr. Shively of Hamilton, became the bride of H. Errol Myers, son of Mrs. Henry Myers of Ridgeway, Ia., on New Year's day at the home of the bride's mother. The Rev. F. G. Seyfarth read the double ring service before a background of flowers, ferns and lighted tapers. Both the bride and groom are students at the College and will graduate in the spring. Mrs. Myers is a member of the Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority. Mr. Myers served with the infantry from January 1942, until July 1945. He was overseas in the Pacific theater. Mr. and Mrs. Myers have moved into one of the new veterans' apartments on the campus.

Whaley-Porter

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald D. Whaley of Maryville announce the marriage of their daughter, Edythe Lucille, to John J. Porter, son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Porter. The couple were married Sunday, December 29, at Hiawatha, Kansas. Miss Margaret Whaley, sister of the bride, attended them. The bride, who attended this College for two years, is employed at Bakyr's Department Store. Mr. Porter works for the Fullerton Lumber Company.

Wilson-Virden

In the Presbyterian church at Albany, on December 23, the former Miss Vivian Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wilson of Skidmore, became the bride of Mr. William Paul Virden, of Albany.

The bride, who graduated from the College in 1945, has been teaching since that time. She was president of the student body and belonged to Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority while here in school. Mrs. Virden is presently employed at the Albany High School and will continue teaching there. The groom is a senior at the University of Missouri.



CAMPUS SCENE IN JANUARY

Goforth-Lund

The marriage of Miss Bernice Goforth, daughter of C. R. Goforth of Savannah, to Harvey Lund, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Lund of Ford, New Jersey, took place December 28, in Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Perth Amboy, New York. The pastor, the Rev. C. K. Preus, officiated. The attendants were Miss Betty Goforth, sister of the bride as maid-of-honor, Mrs. Hanson, and Anton Lund, Jr., as best man.

Mr. Harry Feddersen, Mr. Robert Thompson, and Mr. Raymond Hanson acted as ushers.

The bride is a graduate of Lafayette High School, St. Joseph Junior College, and Northwest Missouri State Teachers College. She is a member of Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority and is now teaching in Savannah High School.

The bridegroom is a senior student at the College and belongs to Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity. He served with the navy air corps for two and one-half years.

Stoner-Bogges

The marriage of Miss Lavonia Stoner, a former Maryville high school teacher, to Gerald W. Bogges took place the evening of December 22, at the home of the bride's parents. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stoner of Ridgeway and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Bogges, also of Ridgeway. The Rev. H. E. Corbin of St. Joseph officiated.

The bride attended the University of Missouri and is a graduate of the College. She taught two years in the Maryville high school and later did secretarial work in Kansas City. She now is a commerce teacher in the Ridgeway High School.

Annual Carnival Is On Tonight in Lower Hall

Varsity Villagers' annual carnival will be held tonight in the administration building. Dancing for all will be held in the Bearcats' Den. Concessions will be set up in the hall; food is to be sold.

The program, with Joe Littler acting as master of ceremonies, will consist of impersonations by Jack Russell, a girls' duet by "Holt House," a "barber shop" quartet under the direction of John Ward, readings by Charlene Hartness and Elizabeth Thompson, and acrobatics by Arlene Davis. Repeat performances of the program will be held at 8:00 and at 9:00 p. m.

Tri Sigs Initiate Five in Ceremony January 12

Five new members were initiated into Sigma Sigma Sigma at initiation ceremonies held at 8:00 o'clock Sunday morning, January 12. The new girls are Una Claypool, Council Bluffs; Margaret Curry, Oregon; Kathleen Jennings, Stanberry; Virginia Snowberger, Skidmore; and Helen Sutton, St. Joseph.

Following initiation, the activities were joined by the pledges, and the entire group attended services at the Presbyterian church.

Independent Club Gives Party in Bearcats' Den

The Cooperative Independents had a party Saturday night, January 10, in the Bearcats' Den at 8:00 p. m.

The members of the social committee, with Frances Frazier—chairman, Lee Dreps, Dick Thomas, Dorothy Harshaw, and Elizabeth Thompson, planned the party for the members. Everyone present wore some visible article of clothing backwards.

A community sing started the evening, followed by the "B. O. Trio." The trio was composed of Richard Palmer, Lee Dreps, and Brad Moore. An apple relay, ping pong, and a mock "Truth or Consequences" program provided entertainment. There was dancing the remainder of the evening. Refreshments of cocoa and cookies were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Surrey and Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor chaperoned the party. A photographer took pictures during the party.

The first branches of the YMCA in North America were established in Montreal and Boston in 1851.

Engagements

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Dugdale of Huron, South Dakota, have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Viola, to Richard T. McDougal, son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. McDougal of Maryville.

Miss Dugdale is a graduate of Huron high school and completed two years of study at Huron College. At present she is a senior at Washington University School of Nursing, St. Louis.

Mr. McDougal graduated from Maryville high school and the College. In 1942 he enlisted in the army air corps and served as a flight instructor. Since his discharge he has been associated in the abstract title and insurance business with his father in Maryville.

The wedding will take place February 1, in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Manischreck of Maryville, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary, to Mr. Hubert Seipel, of Maryville, son of Mrs. Henry Seipel.

Miss Manischreck is a former student of the College. There has been no definite date set for the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Partridge of Skidmore have announced the engagement of their daughter, Marilyn, to Mr. Robert M. Barrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Barrett, of Skidmore. Miss Partridge is a student in the College. There has been no definite date set for the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Hasty announce the engagement of their daughter, June, to William N. Robey, son of Mrs. O. L. Robey of Maryville. The date for the wedding has not been set.

Miss Hasty is manager of the Missouri Gift and Record Shop in Maryville. Mr. Robey is a student of the College.

Mrs. John Hartman of Greeley, Colorado, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Betty Joan, to Mr. Russell W. Peter, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Peter of King City. The wedding will be February 23. Mr. Peter is a former student of the College and was a member of Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Redd of Albany announce the engagement of their daughter, Phyllis, to James Kenneth Dale of Albany. No wedding date is set. Miss Redd is a graduate of Albany High School and is now a student in the College.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Killam of Hopkins announce the engagement of their daughter, Darlene, to Eldon A. Fine of New Market, Iowa. No definite date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Killam, who attended this College, is now teaching in the grade school at Bedford, Iowa.

International Relations Club Holds Discussions

Martha Lewis, Kent Barber, and H. R. Dieterich, Jr., gave reports on the United Nations Organization at the meeting of the International Relations Club held December 16.

Two faculty members, seventeen members, and one visitor were present.

At the meeting January 6, the above named committee led a panel discussion on Disarmament and the Atomic Issue.

Thirteen members and one faculty member were present. William Grant is a new I. R. C. member.

Dr. J. W. Jones, president of the College, Dr. M. C. Cunningham, dean of the College, Mr. H. T. Phillips, of the Education department, and Mr. Everett W. Brown, director of field service, attended the Holt County Teachers' meeting in Mound City, Friday, January 17.

A son was born December 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Dean Wiley of Lodi, California. He has been named, Kirby Edward. Mrs. Wiley is the former Miss Jean Hall of Wilcox and a former student of the College.

Miss Locke and Mother Visit in Four States

Miss Martha Locke, dean of women, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. E. R. Locke, visited relatives in Connecticut, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, and Illinois, during the Christmas holidays. In reporting the trip, Miss Locke says that the vacation was enjoyable except for one mishap. Her car skidded because of ice and snow on the pavement near Rockville, Indiana, and was badly damaged. They were forced to complete the trip by train.

Mrs. Howard Kramer Gives Tea for Her Daughters

A Christmas tea was given on Sunday, December 23, for 150 guests by Mrs. Howard Kramer in honor of her daughters, Mrs. E. M. Myers of Kansas City, and Mrs. W. W. Cool of Manhattan, Kansas, both graduates of the College.

The guests invited during the first half of the tea consisted of friends and neighbors of Mrs. Kramer. Those invited for the second half were the alumnae of the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority.

Mrs. Cook's husband served on the faculty here.

Rabbi Gordon Talks on Influence of Judaism

Rabbi Albert A. Gordon of the Mt. Sinai Synagogue, Sioux City, Iowa, spoke in Assembly on January 21, on the "Influence of Judaism in the Founding of American Democracy."

Rabbi Gordon attended Wayne University in Detroit, Michigan, but graduated from the University of Cincinnati in 1937, with Phi Beta Kappa honors. He was ordained Rabbi by the Hebrew Union College, Cincinnati, Ohio, in 1941.

Rabbi Gordon served as a Chaplain in the United States Army for three years, serving in New Guinea and the Philippine Islands.

Miss Locke Is Guest Speaker.

Miss Martha Locke, director of Women's Activities at the College, was the guest speaker Thursday, January 9, at the Faculty Dames meeting. In her speech, which was on the pleasures and duties of her work. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Donald Valk. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. Homer T. Phillips, Mrs. William T. Garrett, and Mrs. Myron P. Rose.

Miss Madge Jennings, a former student of the College, spent the week end of January 11-12, in Maryville visiting Myrtle Lee Burns, a senior in the College. Miss Jennings is principal of the Amazonia grade school.

Alumnae and Others Have Reunion During Holidays

During the Christmas holidays four former graduates, a former student, and a senior in the College had a reunion at the home of Mrs. Lynnetta Weitzel Menz of Oregon, Missouri.

The former graduates were Miss Maxine Heermann, teacher of physical education at Porterville, California; Mrs. Clara Allen Bryan, a commerce instructor at Panora, Iowa; Mrs. Kathryn Leitz Allen, a teacher of music in St. Joseph; and Mrs. Weng. The other two guests were Mrs. Helen Lyle McKown Parnell, and Vanda Washburn, King City.

Two Attend Alpha Phi Omega Meeting

Fraternity Holds National Meeting at President Hotel, Kansas City.

Leslie Parker and Charles Green represented the Beta Upsilon chapter of Alpha Phi Omega at the national convention at Hotel President in Kansas City, December 28-29.

"Representatives from many states were present to represent the 110 odd chapters, with high spirit, excellent participation, and true consecration to the job on hand," said Mr. Parker.

According to Mr. Parker, the high spot in the program was the national banquet at which Dr. H. Roe Bartle, an international leader, in tribute to his sixteen years service as national president, was given recognition. Dr. Bartle delivered a challenging address to the assembly, and called upon Alpha Phi Omega to take an increasingly active part in promoting world peace, brotherhood, and unselfish service. Each college was challenged to increase its membership, with the goal set at more than fifty members.

The new national officers elected at the convention are as follows: National president, Dean Arno Nowotny, University of Texas; first vice president, Dr. M. C. Hayes, Northern Illinois State Teachers College; second vice president, Frank D. Wood, Georgia School of Technology; national treasurer, Delmer H. Wilson, Butler University.

Alpha Phi Omega has invited all students with former Scout work or scouting to contact any member in regard to joining the organization.

Club Appoints Committees After Initiation Service

The Newman Club's annual initiation of new members was held in the Knights of Columbus Hall on Monday, January 20.

Members of the following committees were appointed: Program committee—Charles F. Hiney, Leo Strohm, Mary Margaret Steinhauer, and Mary Lou Doran.

Initiation committee—Mary Christine, Leo Strohm, and Mary Margaret Steinhauer.

Refreshment committee—John Pope, Marcella Chandler, Earl Pope, James Hiney, Letty Pinzon, Victoria Torrijos, and Anais Vernaza. Refreshments were served after the initiation ceremony.

Four in Dramatics Club Present Play

"If Men Played Cards as Women Do" Provides Lively Fun.

Members of the Dramatics Club were entertained at the regular meeting Wednesday afternoon, January 15, by four of their group. John Ward, Norman Hoffman, Bob Mann, and Glen Hansford played the cast parts in the one act comedy "If Men Played Cards as Women Do." Action in the play was presumably a poker game, but, as the title suggests, very little card-playing was done.

John Ward played host to the others, and his directions to the maid, genuine pride in his embroidery work, and inclination to purchase cheap cigars made him the perfect host.

Norman Hoffman gained the spotlight by displaying a new and perfectly cut vest for the boys. Later, as plans to play cards were being made, he decided his beard was much too rough and proceeded to shave it off. The pantomime which followed evoked spasms of laughter from the audience.

Bob Mann showed the principle of economics, which he used in having a new hat band put on his old hat and in showing his disgust at the outrageous price he paid his maid. His smoking of the cigar he had just declared as cheap and no good was his part in the shaving pantomime.

Glen Hansford's sharing a new dessert with the fellows made him quite popular, and caused a discussion of the fact that new desserts were hard to find. He was a professional card shuffler and exhibited his skill before the game started. The audience was left to guess who won the game of solitaire he had while Norman Hoffman removed the whiskers.

After some time had elapsed, the fellows got into the card game, and a spirited discussion about the value of the chips, what the funny little things on the cards were, and who dealt and bid first, followed. Their gossiping tongues wagged until the end of the play with never a completed hand finished.

Dramatics Club is sponsored by Mrs. Romona Canton of the Speech Department. The stage crew included Helen Sutton, Betty Humphrey, George MacLellan, Richard Thomas, and Dick Palmer. Richard Huff presented the musical prelude.

Somerville Family Gets Together for Holidays

Mr. Leslie J. Somerville, a graduate of the College who is an instructor of public school music in Albuquerque, New Mexico, spent from December 22 to January 2, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie G. Somerville.

Thursday, December 26, the Somervilles spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Phillips.

The Somerville family visited Mr. and Mrs. William D. Somerville in Sullivan December 27-29. Mr. William D. Somerville, a graduate of the College, is now operating a store in Sullivan.

Helen Toel and Sheral Gardner spent the week-end of January 17-19 at Essex, Iowa, visiting Noma Johnson, who was a student at the College last year.

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Bearcats to Meet Cape Indians January 25 in Home Court Tilt

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May Indicate Places in
Conference Stand.

Gene Cross May Not Play

Indians Make First Appearance
Here Under Coaching of
Joe McDonald

On Saturday, January 25, the Maryville Bearcats will tangle with the powerful Cape Girardeau Indians at the home court in a game that promises to do much to determine the merits of the two cage teams. The Indians have won four and lost three games this year, but they have faced some very talented aggregations in Arkansas, Texas Wesleyan, Murray State, and Kirksville. The Bearcats have been up and down all year, and the outcome of this contest will shed some light on their bid for the conference title.

Leading scorers for Cape are Herb Fulton with 87 points and Marty Radmer with 48 tallies. The Bearcats may be playing without the services of Gene Cross, high scoring forward, who has a bad charley horse as a result of a fall in the last minute of play against Rockhurst. Cross performed capably against Springfield last week, but an injury such as he received often recurs with the slightest contact.

The probable starting lineup for Cape Girardeau will be Radmer and Upton at forwards, Klosterman at center, and McGeehan and Hager at guards. The Bearcats will have Paul Wilson and Paul Butherus at the forward posts, Howard Glavin at center, and Vincent Meyer and Gene Cross holding the guard positions. Cape and Maryville both substitute freely, indicating a spirited game.

The Indians will be making their first appearance in Maryville under the tutelage of Joe McDonald, former player at Cape who is coaching his first season at the school. Coach McDonald will call on Landgraf, McRanen, Nichols, and Keller a great deal to relieve his starting five. Coach Ryland Milner will doubtless play Norbert Meyer, Don Scott, Sam Ingels, George Andrews, John Wolford, Gene Ceglinski, and Pete Younger if the situation permits.

The "B" team game will begin at 6:30.

Varsity Villagers Will Have Basketball Teams

At the Varsity Villagers Council meeting Wednesday evening, January 15, the president, Charlotte Spahnower asked the house representatives to contact all girls and have everyone interested to report to the gymnasium, Thursday night, January 16, where Varsity Villagers basketball teams would be organized. It has been announced that anyone who knows how to play basketball and is interested is invited to join. Teams are being organized by different organizations and after a little practicing the different teams will play.

Bearcats Lose Game To Rockhurst Hawks

Faltering in the last period after battling on even terms for most of the first half, the Maryville Bearcats lost to the Rockhurst Hawks at Kansas City Saturday, January 11, in a score 46-32. The Bearcats tied the score five times in the first half, but the Hawks, paced by big Jim Costello, pulled away to win.

Costello led the scoring with 19 points. His teammate Don Martel scored 8, while Gene Cross had 7 and Paul Butherus 6 for the Bearcats. Vince Meyers played his usual splendid defensive game besides tossing in 5 points.

W. A. A. Holds Initiation

On January 16 the W. A. A. held an initiation party for the new members. The students chosen to be new members of W. A. A. took the oath of the association, after which refreshments of apples and cookies were served.

Those who took the oath are as follows: Shirley Burton, Margaret Curry, Dorothy Carter, Marcella Chandler, Arlene Davis, Edythe Fitzwater, Ruth Holbrook, Joyce Johnson, Shirley Judy, Helen Lewis, Beulah Mercer, Mildred McMahon, Opal O'Dell, Dorothy Pennebaker, Mary Jean Sprake, Helen Fisher, and Peg Turner (a transfer member).

Preceding the initiation, seven organized basketball teams participated in games in preparation for the W. A. A. Tournament scheduled for January 20.

Reception Is Postponed
The faculty reception for freshmen, which was to have been held during the opening week of the winter quarter, was postponed because of the delayed opening of the quarter. The reception is still to be held, but the exact date has not yet been decided upon.

The First President's Cabinet
The cabinet of the first President of the United States was composed of the Secretary of State, Secretary of War, Secretary of the Treasury and the Attorney General.

MIAA Track and Field Meet Set for March 22

KANSAS CITY—Representatives of the Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association selected Columbia for the 1947 indoor track and field meet.

The event was scheduled for the Brewer field house at the University of Missouri March 22. The annual swimming meet will be held at the Rolla School of Mines February 22, and the outdoor track meet and golf and tennis contests will be held at the Southeast Missouri State Teachers College, Cape Girardeau, May 9 and 10.

Arthur Eilers, Washington University, was selected to continue as the conference commissioner. Officers elected were: James W. Shannon, Southwest Missouri Teachers, Springfield, president; H. R. Dieterich, Northwest Missouri Teachers, Maryville, vice-president; and G. H. Jamison, Northeast Missouri Teachers, secretary-treasurer.

Intramural Sport Gains in Interest

Various comments filled the air after round three was completed in intramural basketball a week ago last Wednesday, but the one heard the most concerned the surprising interest that has been shown in the games played thus far. An increasingly greater number of people are attending the contests held at the College and Horace Mann gymnasiums, and the spirited play of the participants has been proof of their interest. Upsets, both to individuals and teams, and sensational finishes have provided the fans with some hair-raising entertainment.

Two recent games provided thrills by the second as the Beach Combers and Iowa Corn Cobs fought for second place in the Coast League, and the Hash Slingers attempted to upset the favored Gizmos in the Ivy League. The Beach Combers won 31-30 after a torrid last quarter had the fans on their feet. The Gizmos overcame a five point deficit to win 24-23 in a game that saw the lead change hands an even dozen times.

While rousing last periods were claiming the attention of the spectators, the powerful Phi Sigs rode serenely along the victory trail, clinaxing a four game win streak with a decisive 38-14 victory over the Kilroy Kids. In the Coast League the well-balanced Atomic Men have four straight games under their belts to lead the Beach Combers by one game. The Friendly Farmers and All States are a game and a half behind, having played only three games thus far.

Standing of Teams
In the Ivy League, behind the Phi Sigs and Gizmos who have a perfect record, trail the Hash Slingers and Kilroy Kids, two games behind. The complete standings of the two leagues and high point men in play as of Wednesday, January 15, are as follows:

Ivy League	W	L	Coast League	W	L
Phi Sigs.....	4	0	Atomic Men.....	4	0
Gizmos.....	4	0	Beach Combers.....	3	1
Kilroy Kids.....	2	2	All States.....	2	1
Hash Slingers.....	2	2	Friendly Farmers.....	2	1
Manhattan.....	1	2	Iowa Corn Cobs.....	2	2
Barkatz.....	1	2	Rockets.....	2	2
Rangers.....	1	2	Lasley's Loafers.....	1	3
P. E. Hornets.....	0	3	Tumble Bugs.....	0	2
			Independents.....	0	3

Leading Scorers	W	L	Phi Sigs	W	L
Anderson.....	37	0	Kilroy Kids.....	32	2
Wormsley.....	32	0	Rockets.....	27	2
Poster.....	27	2	Gizmos.....	26	0
Quies.....	26	0	Phi Sigs.....	24	0
Hutson.....	24	0	Hash Slingers.....	21	2
Brown.....	21	2	Beach Combers.....	21	3
Morrison.....	21	2	Iowa Corn Cobs.....	21	2
Black.....	21	2	Gizmos.....	20	2
Cobb.....	20	2	Hash Slingers.....	20	2
R. Davis.....	20	2	Rangers.....	20	2
Lasley.....	20	2	Phi Sigs.....	20	2

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson, Brattleboro, Vermont, on their Christmas card, announced the birth of a daughter, Sara Elizabeth, born December 16. Mr. Johnson is a former editor of the Northwest Missourian. Mrs. Johnson is the former Miss Virginia Schulte.

The Intermediate Club had a chili supper at the home of their sponsor, Miss Mary Keith, Tuesday evening, December 10. Following the supper all participated in a gift exchange. Later in the evening the girls attended the opening basketball game of the season.

"The Savage," Savannah high school newspaper, came out in a Christmas issue mimeographed in red ink alternating with green ink for the various departments. The Christmas theme was carried throughout the paper.

New Member to Kappa Omicron
At the meeting of the Kappa Omicron Phi, Monday, January 13, Patty Straight was initiated as a pledge. Plans were made for a "home-party" to be held at the Home Economics house January 26, at 7:00 p. m. Each member is asked to be present and bring a guest. There will be dancing, games, and refreshments.

Franklin Bithos of Maryville, a former student in this school, returned Christmas from Athens, Greece. He has spent several months in Greece visiting his family.

St. Benedict Ravens Win Second Victory

Bearcats Lose to Atchison
Men on 43-39 Score in
Close Contest.

After a spirited first half the Maryville Bearcats dropped a close decision to the St. Benedict's Ravens at Atchison, Kansas January 7. By the score of 43-39. The strong Ravens finish gave them their second victory over the Bearcats this year, and their fifth without defeat this season.

The game started slowly, but in the last ten minutes of the first half Vincent Meyers, George Andrews, Sam Ingels, Gene Cross, and Don Scott hit baskets from close under to give the Ravens a half time lead of 25-13. St. Benedict's then rallied, and led by Werba, Frett, and Rose, pulled ahead halfway through the last half. The Bearcats tied the score and went ahead at 36-35, but a basket by Rose pulled the Ravens ahead to stay.

The fine play of dependable Vincent Meyers and hustling Sam Ingels was most noteworthy. George Wendell, Raven captain and high scorer, was held to five points by the Bearcat centers Howard Glavin, John Wolford, and Norbert Meyers. Vince Meyers led the 'Cats with twelve points, while Werba had 14 for the Ravens to take game honors.

Athletic Department Has Play Night Activities

Anticipating the desire for wholesome, leisure-hour activities that the students at the college would have upon returning to school after the swiftly moving war years, President J. W. Jones selected Don Peterson, a graduate of Wisconsin University with experience in recreation gained through three years in Navy recreational service, to set up a recreational sports program under the Physical Education department headed by Mr. E. A. Davis.

At the beginning of the winter quarter Mr. Peterson began work in earnest. His efforts are reflected in the varied and interesting activities now available for all college students.

The greatest number of participants are to be found in the intramural basketball leagues, where ten to fifteen games are played weekly, depending on the varsity schedule and other major campus activities. Also among the list of sports offered are ping-pong, swimming, water-polo, boxing, volleyball, badminton, and social dancing, the latter a recent addition to the program.

When the last snow has disappeared from the ground for the season and the thoughts and actions of people turn to the out-of-doors, Mr. Peterson will be prepared. Golf, tennis, softball, baseball, track and field, archery, soccer, and badminton will be among the activities available. Contests will be held in as many of the activities as is possible. The big event of the spring quarter will be the inter-class track and field meet. A golf tournament and a softball tournament will also be held.

Valuable assistance has been given Mr. Peterson by members of his class in intramurals and in officiating. The intramural commission has also been a great aid to the program. Members of the commission are Tony Rizzo, senior representative; Charles Beegh, sophomore representative; Basil Hoehn, sophomore representative; and Kenneth Meeks, freshman representative.

Horace Mann Defeats Pickering, 22 to 15

The Horace Mann Cubs won their first West Nodaway League basketball game in three years yesterday afternoon by defeating the Pickering Ponies 22 to 15. The game was played on the College court.

Pickering won the second team game 11 to 8. Fisher and Doran were the big scorers for the Cubs in the first team game, each getting four buckets. Hood led the visitors with four goals.

The first team box score:					
Horace Mann (22)	Pickering (15)				
Kinnaman.....	0 2 1	Allen.....	0 1 2		
Watson.....	0 0 0	Wray.....	0 0 0		
Fisher.....	4 0 0	Jr. Carmichael.....	0 2 0		
Doran.....	4 1 1	Carmichael.....	0 0 0		
Hartzell.....	0 0 0	Owens.....	0 0 1		
B. Hutson.....	0 0 2	Paris.....	3 0 3		
D. Hutson.....	1 1 4	Nutt.....	0 0 2		
		Bishop.....	0 0 0		
		Hood.....	4 0 3		

Totals..... 9 4 9 Totals..... 6 3 11
Score at half, 9 to 8 for Horace Mann.
Referee: Baker and Johnson.

Dr. Swift Visits College.
Dr. I. H. Swift, graduate of the College in 1939, who was recently cited by the Navy Department for his help in the development of a spectacular bomb-sight many times more accurate than the Norden bomb-sight, was a visitor at the College last week. Dr. Swift is now living in California where he is doing research work for the Navy Department.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Patton, Jr., of San Antonio, Texas, on December 20. The baby has been named Paula Edwina. The parents are graduates of the College.

Random Shots . . .

Gene Cross incurred an injury in the Rockhurst game, a charley horse. This injury may impair his effectiveness if it returns during the season.

A brief look at the roster discloses the fact that a great number of freshmen are on the squad, a fact indicating good things in store. The Bearcat scoring has been fairly even, with Cross having a slight edge over Vince Meyers. Cross has an even 50 points in four games. The intramural play has uncovered some talent that has kept the

spectators on their toes. With a few more games under their belts the boys will be providing more thrills than ever. At present the scores are low because of the inefficiency of the boys to hit consistently, but after some more practice the points will be higher.

Boxing was heard around the gymnasium for the first time since the Navy moved out. A group of boys are working out three weekly in preparation for some meets away from school. The first meet was at Atchison, Kansas, last Friday night.

Hornets Go Down Before Bearcats

Emporia Men Stage Rally
Threaten Bearcat Lead;
Cross Halts Spurt.

With Vincent Meyer and Gene Cross hitting from all angles, the Maryville Bearcats upset the Emporia Teachers College Hornets in their last game before the Christmas holidays last December 18, by a score of 51-44.

Meyer had 16 points and Cross 15 to furnish the necessary one-two punch. Paul Butherus added 10 to the Bearcat total, and the fine floor play of Howard Glavin, Paul Wilson, and the before mentioned three, held the powerful Hornets well in hand until the second half, when Max Smiley and Bill Litchfield of the visiting team led a rally that came within six points of tying the score. The Bearcats pulled away on baskets by Meyer and Cross, and then held their lead to the final gun.

After building up a half-time score of 33-17, the Bearcats, led by the play of Glavin, Meyer, and Cross, scored three quick baskets before Emporia rallied. The rally was halted when Cross took a short pass from Meyer and drove in hard for a break to score for Maryville and layup the spurt for the Hornets. Smiley made 15 points, and Litchfield 10 for the losers.

Fifteen Raahs!

Two of the most active and colorful groups of the College campus are the pep organizations. With Miss Winice Ann Carruth as a sponsor, the Barkatz keep the morale of the basketball team flying high and the spirit of the spectators raging throughout the games. This organization consists of forty College students—twenty men and twenty girls. The girls of this peppy family are noted for their snappy green jackets and white catkins.

The other group which makes the basketball games so interesting is the Green and White Peppers. The Peppers, a women's organization, came into existence during the fall of 1927. New members are selected by the unanimous vote of the Peppers. Besides their regular loyal support to the team, these girls have put on stunts at games. This group have ordered uniforms, and will soon be seen in new white jackets and green skirts. Miss Bonnie Magill is the leader of this group.

Miss Estella Bowman of the English department went to Kansas City the week-end of January 11-12 where she attended the Shakespearean play, "Henry V," starring Lawrence Olivier. She also attended an Encyclopedia Britannica exhibit at the art gallery.

Dr. John Harr, head of the Social Science department, recently addressed the Fine Arts department of the Twentieth Century Club, at their regular bi-monthly meeting at the clubhouse. Dr. Harr's subject was "Retrospect and Prospect."

Mr. and Mrs. William Heekin, Jr., of San Jose, California, were recent visitors in Maryville. They formerly lived in Maryville and graduated from the Maryville High School. Mr. Heekin is a former student of the College.

Miss Lily Belle Buckner, who graduated from the College last fall, began teaching vocal music in Rockwell City, Iowa, December 30.

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Twenty-Seven Bearcats Get Letters in Football

Twenty-seven wearers of the green and white were awarded football letters for the past season upon the recommendation of Coach Ryland Milner. The number includes fourteen men honored for the first time at the College.

Because of injuries, the large number of participants, and Coach Milner's desire to give every promising man an opportunity to play under game conditions, the task of awarding letters was a difficult one, but the following list is the result.

Stanley Totaratitis, John Lannham, Howard Glavin, Harold Johnson, Vernon Weidmaler, Guilford Spragg, Paul Whitfield, Errol Myers, Loren Gutter, Don Hartness, Dewey Drennen, Tony Rizzo, Kenny Boyer, Byron Baker, Maurice Geist, William Gamble, Harold Jobe, Paul Wilson, Ken Linsinger, Ned Bishop, Rex Adams, Gene Pemberton, Bruce Peters, Paul Gates, Charles Scruby, Paul Butherus, and Marvin Weed.

Bearcats Fall Before Springfield Powerhouse

Springfield's tall and accurate Bears sailed to a 57 to 34 win over the smaller and cold Maryville Bearcats, January 17 to open the MIAA cage season for both teams.

Taking the lead on Preston Ward's goal, Springfield held the advantage throughout and increased its margin in the second half on a flurry of baskets by Morton, Clyde Ruble, Eskades and Long.

The rangy Bears were able to control the tip and the rebound with Ferrell, Long and Morton towering over Maryville's cagers. Meanwhile Ferrell and Clyde Ruble didn't bother to work the ball in for shots, potting the ball on long shots over Maryville's defense. The latter two each hit five times from the field to aid Ward who was high scorer with fourteen points.

Shots Fail to Connect
Maryville's shots were not connecting, the Bearcats getting only two out of the first seventeen shots taken and the ball handling of the local Teachers was ragged as the contest wore to a finish.

It was thirteen minutes before Maryville scored from the field. This flier was made by Paul Butherus, who sparked a late first half drive to cut down Springfield's margin. The half ended 24 to 15 for the visitors.

Gene Cross and Vince Meyer, generally accurate from the field, saw most of their shots slide off the rim. However, Meyer, the Clyde boy who plays center for Maryville, finally got results on his fast drives and was high scorer for the Teachers with ten points.

Younger Leads B Team

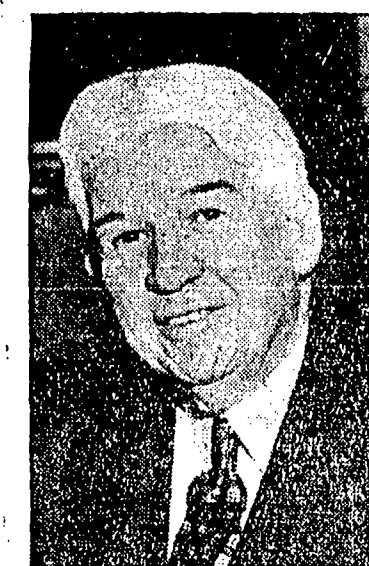
In the last ten minutes a flock of substitutes went in for both clubs and the Bears continued to rack up the goals.

In a preliminary Springfield defeated Maryville 38 to 37 in a B team game. Springfield led at the half 19 to 10. In the second half the Bearcats came to life on Pete Younger's shooting to nearly nose out the Bears. Younger accounted for 20 of Maryville's points on eight field goals and four free throws.

The Maryville lineup for the B game consisted of Ceglinski, French, Wolford, N. Meyer, Younger, Todd, Lepley, Bennett, Gill and Overmiller.

Dieterich and Peterson worked the B team game.

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DR. WILLIS SUTTON

Dr. Sutton Will Be Maryville Speaker

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to lecture to teachers' associations, parent- teachers' associations, and other organizations of adults particularly interested in developing and supporting education in the United States. It has been stated that in all probability, Dr. Sutton, who has addressed audiences many times in every state, has spoken to more teachers and students in the United States than has any other living man. In the educational world, he is too well known to need any commendation from the Educational Department of the Reader's Digest. He has spoken more than once at the College.

K. C. Star Focuses Eyes on Milner

In a recent issue of the Kansas City Star, the sports editor made the following comment about Coach Ryland Milner of the College.

"When major colleges begin to canvass the field for football coaches and are unafraid to reach down into the lower ranks by way of picking an unsung young man, as did Ohio State with Paul Brown, Missouri has at least two worthy of consideration.

"Missouri Valley's Volney Ashford has qualified for a bigger job. So has Ryland Milner of the Northwest Missouri Teachers.

"Milner has a 14-year coaching record in high school and college that will bear a lot of studying. In

four years of high school and ten of college coaching, Milner's football teams have won ninety-four and lost seventeen. Milner was a 3-sport star under Henry Iba at Oklahoma City's Classen high school and carried on in a similar vein under Iba at the Northwest Missouri Teachers College, Maryville.

"Ashford, whose basketball teams have played in the tournament here, turned out a football team at Missouri Valley college this fall that merited much friendly publicity throughout the nation."

The Star's sports editor concluded by saying the same football teams at bigger-name-schools would probably have played in some bowl on January 1.

Dr. Dildine to Speak on 1947 February Series

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the Great, Cosmic Rays, Rosetti, Food Customs, Ecology and Human Problems, Modern in Crisis, Employment, Music in Physics, Pan-Americanism, Crime, Walt Whitman.

Guest speakers, eminent in their respective fields, have come from Conception Abbey, Fayetteville and Central colleges, Washington University, University of Chicago, the State Universities of Missouri, Kansas, and Iowa.

Lectures were first given in Room 207 of the Administration Building. Later they were presented in the first floor lounge of Residence Hall, and are now given in Horace Mann Auditorium. The growing interest in the lectures has manifested itself in the increasing attendance. The College offers an opportunity for intellectual stimulation by inviting faculty members, students, and the general public.

Following the present series of lectures, the College will publish Volume Eleven of "The Northwest Missouri State Teachers College Studies" in a format uniform with that of the volumes which have been published yearly since 1937. The College takes considerable pride in measuring up to this universally accepted and creditable practice.

Copies of the "Studies" are sent to public libraries and to colleges and universities in the United States and abroad. They are also sent to scholars in the field of the subject matter used in the lectures. The College receives many responses from recipients of the "Studies." A complete file of lectures given since 1937 may be found in the College Library.

Composer-Pianist Demonstrates Work

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senior music editor of the radio section of the overseas branch of the Office of Foreign Information. Mr. Cowell says this office is now part of the State Department and is carrying on the same activity. Mr. Cowell resigned to work on his own compositions.

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Two Go to Chicago Commerce Meeting

Dr. DuFrain Comments On
Noteworthy Features
She Observed.

Dr. Viola DuFrain, of the Commerce department of the College and Clyde Saville, student teacher of Commerce at the Horace Mann High School, were two of the 2,000 teachers attending the National Business Teachers Association meeting in Chicago, December 26-28.

"Three things impressed me," reported Dr. DuFrain. "They were an inspirational speech by James P. Pope, Tennessee Valley authority and former U. S. Senator from Idaho, on 'Control of Atomic Energy'; the emphasis in the different sectional meetings on audio-visual aids in business courses; and the newer developments of some office machines."

"TVA Director Pope based his theme on the development of physical, mechanical, and humanistic-spiritual energy, drawing from his wide experiences in the marvelous TVA social experiment. He urged teachers to give attention to the control of this third atomic energy of the humanistic-spiritual energy of our people," according to Dr. DuFrain. "In the different sectional meetings, the teachers were urged to use audio-visual aids—the strip film and the projector—in the classroom and to know how to operate these devices."

"The wire-recording machine has been greatly developed since the war," said Dr. DuFrain. "This recording machine, serving a purpose similar to that of the Edison or Dictaphone, records the human voice, in its natural qualities, on a wire which runs from one spool to another like a typewriter ribbon. It is in one unit only, no requiring a shavling machine or a transcribing machine, since the wire containing the dictation is automatically demagnetized or cleared on the opposite spool, and since the machine plays back the dictation for the typist simply with the insertion of a set of headphones. In the near future, the machine will compete with the Edison and Dictaphone machines for common office work where there is a volume of routine dictation of letters, and sooner or later this type of machine may displace much of the work of the court reporter."

The following is a list of former Graham High School students who are enrolled in the College this winter: Virginia Snowberger, Verne Cox, Mary Margaret Hartman, Armadex Sweet, J. D. Elliott, Robert Sticken, Letha Shull, Bill Burns, Junior Long, Mary Loyce Rockwell, Marie Wolf, Bob Weston, and Betty Stevenson.

During the Christmas holidays Miss Mary Keith, of the Horace Mann School, visited at the home of her sister and brothers, Mrs. Aze S. Nelson in Farmington, Mr. C. B. Keith of Mine La Motte, Mr. F. C. Keith of Kirkwood, and Dr. E. P. Keith of Macon.

Vanda Washburn, who is a senior this year, spent the week-end, January 10-12, with her grandmother, Mrs. B. A. Howe of King City.

Plans for a barn dance the night of the spring quarter registration were made at a meeting of Varsity Villagers Council, January 15.

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